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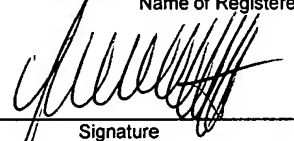
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No.: ICKINGER-2

In re Application of:)
GEORG MICHAEL ICKINGER)
Appl. No.: 10/689,572) Examiner: LUK, Emmanuel S
Filed: October 20, 2003) Group Art Unit: 1722
For: PLASTICIZING UNIT WITH AN ELECTROMOTIVE SPINDLE DRIVE FOR AN INJECTION MOLDING MACHINE))

**RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION
dated February 3, 2005**

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450", on <u>May 20, 2005</u> .	
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Name of Registered Representative	
	<u>5-20-2005</u>
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This communication is in response to the Official Action of February 3, 2005, having a shortened period for response terminating May 3, 2005.

The Commissioner is hereby petitioned to extend the period for response to above-referenced Official Action by ONE month until June 3, 2005.

[X] Accompanying this amendment is the appropriate fee of \$120.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(c) and 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a).

- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the appropriate fee of \$ pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(c) and 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) and any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0502.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby also authorized to charge any fees which may be required during the pendency of this application, including any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17, and any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16, including presentation of extra claims, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No: 06-0502.

Please amend the above-entitled application as follows: